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For:	High Speed Bus System	§	Docket No.:	200306519-1

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 14, 2004

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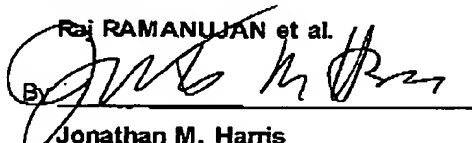
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